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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Washington, March 6.—For Kansas:
Forecast tell 8 p.m. Wednesday, Threaten-
ing, warmer Wednesday morning; south
winds.

BUCKEYER is not the same kind of a
huckleberry that Gladstone was.THE sending of the Boss of Gravesend
to Sing Sing was a grave send—for the
boss.KANSAS would have to have to go out
and thrash Colorado into staying in the
union.KEPPELS, the proprietor of Puck, left
\$500,000. Laugh and the world laughs
with you.NEW YORK sends her bad political
bosses to Sing Sing; Kansas makes hers
all there is to it.

carrying on a business which was for
years regarded as man's field alone, she
announces that she does not encircle a
movement which shall give to women
property owners a voice as to what kind
of taxes shall be levied on their property.
It appears that although Miss Shawhan
is in business like a man, she still pre-
serves woman's prerogative of being in-
consistent.

THE entire Kansas delegation in con-
gress voted for Bland's coinage bill.
This is not so much an indication that
they are for this particular Bland bill,
but it shows that the Kansas congressmen
know that Kansas whether Repub-
lican, Democratic or Populist, is for the
liberal coinage of silver; if they can't get
what they want they will vote for the
silverage bill; but, at least, is one step
toward silver coinage. Kansas is prob-
ably a free silver state. No doubt a vote
taken would find a majority of the people
of Kansas, voting for the "free and
unlimited" coinage of silver. The pres-
ent congress may do nothing for silver,
but the next one will have to.

GEO. W. MARTIN calls the Gulf &
Interstate railway enterprise which Fred
Close runs, "The Great Arctic & Antarctic
Dream railroad." The Wichita Eagle
finds fault with the ridiculous name on
this Pop railroad and says: "One day
or other a line will be built clear through
the grain belt from the British pos-
sessions to the Gulf of Mexico." Why
should it be built? Are there not now
two or three lines running to the gulf
from the grain belt of Kansas? If wheat
were going to be shipped via Galveston,
why isn't it shipped, now? What is the
use of building more lines to Galveston
from Kansas when already two or three
of those we have are in receivers' hands?

The fact that these roads are nearly
bankrupt is just what makes Fred Close's
statement that "somebody in California" is
going to lend \$1,500,000 to build an-
other one, sound like a simple falsehood.

No capital anywhere in the United States
is being put into railroads, now. And
yet somebody is going to loan Fred Close
\$1,500,000 for that purpose. Fred Close
and his crowd are probably trying to
mislead a number of the honest but
credulous farmers in Kansas into putting
money into his confidence game. That's
all there is to it.

KANSAS PARAGRAPHS.

The Catholics are going to build a new
parochial school house at St. Mary's.An Ottawa chief who yearned for orig-
inality, stole a pair of thills from a hag-
gy.A Lyndon man has an organ that he
wants to trade for a horse that isn't wind-
broken.Yosef Young of Hebron isn't trou-
bled with people who call him familiarly
by his first name.

The suffering husbands of Edenton
have already begun to hear talk of flowers
and flower beds.

The Sedan minister who is preaching
on the "Evidence of Christianity" has
doubtless been traveling.
The Marion man who makes eight
pounds of butter a week, down one cow
isn't worrying about the tariff.The Newton high school has laid plans
for an extensive library—each pupil to pay
a cent for every slang word used.There will be a band tournament held
in Elkhorn May 28th and 29th. Over
700 band members are already pledged
to attend.There is only one occupant of the
Lincoln county jail, and he feels so incou-
siderate and friendless that the Republican
thinks he ought to have company.

Gaylord Herald: Some shooting and
cutting took place at the hop tea-joint
Tuesday night. A young man shot out
of the door and cut up the street.

An old man has devised a way of
corking up the gas wells so as to save
the gas till it is wanted, but most of the
people would rather burn it raw.Abilene choir singers are beginning to
practice up on Bishop Vincenot's litanies
so as to get into his good graces
when he holds conference there next
week.The postoffice at Randolph is closed to
soon long enough for the postmaster to
go home and get his dinner, and he
doesn't hurry back without eating his pie
either.A Lawrence man who ate beans with
buckwheat cakes, twice baked potatoe,
and a pound of beefsteak for his break-
fast apologized for his lack of appetite,
saying he was just getting over a spell
of sickness and didn't feel real strong.

MISS BOURKE AND HER PRINCE.

He Says He Is Not a Fortune Hunter and
Marries For Love.Ever since Prince Andronimowski
first came to the United States in 1892
Dame Thuner has kept herself busy trying
to marry him to one or another of the
beautiful and wealthy girls who adorn
the society with which he most consorts.
But somehow the old lady always missed
her guess and never once selected the
only young woman to whom the prince
was really paying serious attention,
though the courtship was going on all
the while that he was presumed to be
wowing some one else.

Now the prince has taken the matter
out of Dame Thuner's hands and has
himself announced his betrothal to a
beautiful California girl, Miss Mand
Alice Bourke, daughter of Mrs. H. F.
Tichend of New York and niece of Horace
Carpenter, a former mayor of Oakland, Cal.
Besides being her uncle, Mr. Carpenter
is also Miss Bourke's guardian and a trustee under her father's will.
The young lady has been a member of
his family since her mother's second
marriage a number of years ago, and it
has been supposed that she would inherit
a large share of the millions that
he is credited with possessing.

Miss Bourke is a handsome blond of
the fairest type. She was educated in
Europe and has traveled much abroad.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

The March Term opens with Judge
Burnett's Case.

The supreme court began its March
term today and lawyers representing
clients in all parts of Kansas fill the
court room to its utmost capacity.

The Burnette memorandum case to com-
pel the state and/or to pay an alleged
balance due on Judge Burnett's salary,
was submitted this morning.

The only Topeka case set for hearing
is the application of George D. Hale,
through his attorney, Mayor L. W. Har-
rison, for a writ of mandamus to com-
pel City Assessor Oscar Birdsell and County
Clerk McCabe to turn over to Mr. Hale
the records and books of the city assessor.
The case is intended to settle the city as-
sessor's equity.

The matter will be argued by Mr. Har-
rison for the petitioner and Davis Over-
myer for the defendant, either late this
afternoon or tomorrow morning.

The court will continue its session until
Friday, or possibly Saturday.

THE MORANS DIVORCED.

Mrs. Moran Is Given \$1,000 Alimony
Paid in Installments.

Judge Hazen has granted a divorce to
Mrs. Moran from Charles Moran of North
Topeka, who made a bluff at committing
suicide a few weeks ago by drinking
carbonic acid. Mrs. Moran told Judge
Hazen a story of unusual cruelty at the
hands of her husband which she has suffered
for several years. Her husband has
threatened to kill her and the children.
Judge Hazen allowed the long-suffering
wife \$1,000 alimony payable in install-
ments of \$15 per month, and also \$500
attorney's fees. She is also given the cus-
tody of the three children.

We have had the photographs of the
bands of all the pugilists and plug-uglies
in the newspapers. Now let us have a
photograph of the hand of an honest
workingman. It is better worth look-
ing at.

It was Astor's newspaper, the Pall
Mall Gazette, that first told the Britshers
that Gladstone was going to resign.
These Britshers don't know what they are
doing, themselves, until the Americans
tell them.

The Ithaca students ended up by de-
nouncing the newspaper. The news-
papers are "so sensational." When the
Ithaca students murder a colored woman
the newspapers have the bad taste to
publish it.

STRANGE to say, Matie Shawhan, who
edit the Gate City Journal of Arkansas
City is not a woman suffragist. While

PRESCRIBED FOR THE POPE.

Father Knipp Has Performed Almost Mi-
raculous Cures.

Father Knipp, the Catholic pastor of
the small and primitive village of Woer-
ishofen, in Bavaria, has for several years
enjoyed the reputation of effecting mar-
velous cures of the sick by such simple
means as to make them seem miraculous.
His fame has spread abroad, and patients
come to him from near and far, of all
sorts and conditions and with all kinds
of ailments. Priests, bishops, merchants,
mechanics, peasants and beggars are all
to be seen at times among the crowds
that seek his advice, and quite recently
he was summoned to Rome to prescribe
for the pope.

Father Knipp does not profess to
work miracles. He knows a great deal
about the human system and its ailments
and the effects of medicine, and he pre-
scribes accordingly.

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young traveler in the wilds of the dark
continent is his second, and it is hoped
by his friends notwithstanding his present
peril, that it will terminate as fortunate
as did the first. If it does not,

A PLUCKY YOUNG EXPLORER.

William Astor Chandler, His Travels and
His Photographic Camera.

(Special Correspondence.)

LOSSES, Feb. 21.—All the world admires
the man who goes into the wilds track-
less until he ventures there and wrests
from nature some of her charmed geo-
graphical secrets, or gains for the public
new knowledge concerning the inhabi-
tants of a newly visited portion of the
globe, or makes discoveries of new fields
of mineral wealth. And all the world
is just now interested in the ultimate
fate of William Astor Chandler, the rich
young American who has been obliged
to turn back by reason of the hostile sav-
ages in mid-Africa.

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peril, that it will terminate as fortunate
as did the first. If it does not, it will not be because he did not make
careful preparations for every imagi-
nable sort of emergency. Money was not
spared in making these preparations, nor
was it in preparing for his first trip. But Mr. Chandler had something of far
greater value to expend this time than he
had before experience.

It was lack of experience that brought
about a very annoying misadventure of his
plans during his first trip to Africa. Like
all other modern travelers, Mr. Chandler
desired greatly to preserve a pictorial record
of his travels and his adventures. Of course he resorted to the photographic camera.
But neither he nor any one connected with his
expedition knew anything about photography. So he decided to take with him an automatic camera,
the pictures taken by which might be dev-
eloped by the camera maker after the
trip was finished.

For a number of reasons Mr. Chandler
decided to take one big camera rather
than several small ones, and he had a
picture taking machine built to his order
that would take 4,000 negatives without
reloading. All through his progress up
and down that part of Africa which he
had so far traversed he had no trouble in
making a good many pictures.

The priest's first prescription is almost
invariably a cold bath, and he will not
permit his patients to dry themselves
after it, but insists that they clothe them-
selves while still wet and either go im-
mediately to bed or take a rapid walk in
their lung feet. This is the treatment
prescribed for the pope, and innumerable
instances of its efficacy are cited, while
the only thing urged against it is that
people unaccustomed to walking barefoot
are apt to bruise or cut their feet while walking over the stony roads.

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Father Knipp's time almost entirely every
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AN IMPORTANT PROJECT.

Two Proposed Canals Across the State of
Michigan.

(Special Correspondence.)

ELMIRA, N. Y., March 1.—The dis-
patches that have recently appeared in
the newspapers detailing the plan to con-
nect Lakes Huron and Michigan by a can-
al that shall be of lesser commercial im-
portance than only the Suez canal and the
new artificial waterway from the sea
to Manchester bring to mind the sudden
deaths of interest in canals that came about
in this country some 30 years ago.

Down to that time the canals of the
United States had been operated at a
profit—so great a profit, indeed, that
money had not been at all hard to procure
for the building of a new canal or the
extension of an old one through
country that was at all promising. The
half completed ditch—prism, technically
speaking—that winds along the banks of
some of the rivers of this section is a
monument at once to the old time faith
in canals and its sudden collapse.